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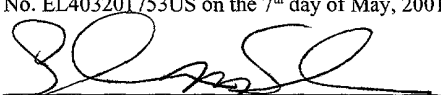
Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the specification and claims of the utility patent application of:

Inventor: Robert J. Vermillion

Title of Invention: **DISSIPATIVE LAYER SUITABLE FOR USE IN PROTECTIVE PACKAGING**

Also enclosed are:

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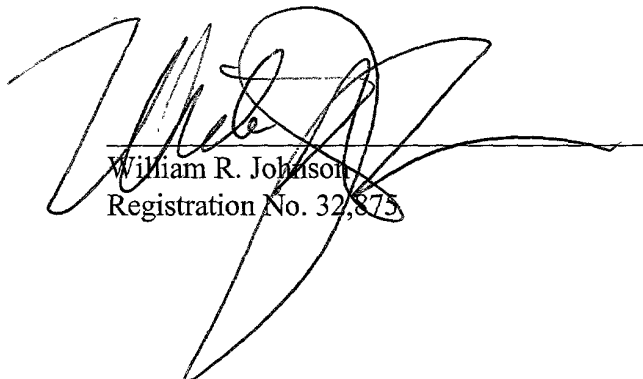
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